# INTELLIGENCE.

FOUNTAINS. The Philadelphia Fountain Society, its History and its Beneficial Work.

The Philadelphia organization will cele-brate the completion of the first year of its existence-in Concert Hall, on to-morrow (Wednesday) evening, It was founded through the exertions of a few worthy gentlemen, and has been productive of very good results. The charter of the society dates only from the 21st day of last April, and consequently it has only been in formal operation since that time, in this short period much has been accomplished. Some twelve fountains have been erected; more are soon to follow. The use of these fountains during the summer months has been immense, both by man soon to follow. The use of these fountains during the summer months has been immense, both by man and beast; but no estimate can be made of the actual number of those who have been refreshed. It is sufficient to say that during the heated term, hot and unpleasant as the weather then was, the fountains were one and all in almost constant demand. The first fountain of its kind erected in this city was placed on Market street, south side, just above Broad. There was then no fountain society or anything of the kind. It was erected by Dr. Wilson C. Swann, who is now President of the society, at his own expense entirely, and as an experiment.

ewann, who is now resident of the society, at his ewn expense entirely, and as an experiment. This was a plain and unpretending-looking ar-rangement, but it answered its purpose well. It proved so satisfactory and useful, that the society was immediately formed to carry on the good work. An informal meeting was held on the 12th of February, another on the 25th of the same month, and on the 21st of the following April the charter was

On the 10th of May an election of officers and managers was held. The officers were elected to serve three years. The following is the present

President-Wilson C. Swann, M. D. Vice-Presidents-George F. Tyler and A. J.

Secretary-George E. McLaughlin.

Treasurer—J. Edward Bazley.
Mapagers—Henry M. Watts, J. E. Bazley, Jacob
M. Duncan, George Plitt, J. Brown Parker, M. M.,
Reese, L. P. Ashmead, Lorin Biodget, R. Krumbkaar, Robert M. Hooper, Richard Ludlow, and Joseph

Tobias.
The lady officers are:— President—Mrs. Robert M. Hooper. Secretary—Mrs. J. Edward Bazley.

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Managers—Mrs. Robert M. Hooper, Mrs. G. C.
Heberton, Mrs. J. Wilson Fassitt, Mrs. Robert E.
Rogers, Mrs. J. R. Fry, Mrs. J. Edward Bazley, Mrs.
Joseph F. Tobias, Mrs. E. C. Geyelin, Mrs. J. Brown
Parker, Mrs. George Pitt, Mrs. William Rudder,
Mrs. Aubrey H. Smith, Mrs. Jos. R. Carpenter, Mrs.
John D. Lankenau, and Miss Schaumburg.

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The members of the society are composed of those who contribute a certain sum yearly. The funds thus obtained are used in the construction of fountains, but several members have each contributed a sum sufficient to erect one entire fountain, the money going through the hands, and the fountains erected entirely under the control and ma-

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The following is the list of fountains erected during the year and the names of the donors:—

No. 1. The first erected after the formation of a society is placed on Walnut street, opposite Seventh, It is built of granite, and was paid for by the so-

No. 2. Is also granite, and is situated on Chesnut street, above Fifth. This was the gift of Mrs. G. F. Tyler.

No. 3. Is on Chesnut street, below Sixth. It is of granite, and was presented by Mr. John Wanamaker.

No. 4. Is a granite fountain, built by the society, on Arch street, below Front.

No. 5. Is of granite, on Dock street, below Walnut.

No. 6. Is an iron fountain, at Broad and Chesnut streets. The donor was Mr. A. H. Smith.

No. 7. An iron fountain, on Market street, below Broad, was also presented by Mr. John Wana-maker.

No. 8. Is a granite fountain, at the intersection of

Chesnut street and Darby road. Presented by Mr. Chesnut street and Darby road. Presented by Mr. A. J. Drexel.

No. 2. Is of fine white marble, and is placed on Ridge road, below Eleventh street. This is also from Mr. Wanamaker.

No. 10. Composed of iron, is placed near Passyunk road and Fifth street. The gift of John Welsh.

No. 11 is a granter structure on Eleventh street.

No. 11 is a granite structure on Eleventa street, above Chesnut. Erected by the society.

No. 12 is a fine terra cotta fountain, almost com-

pieted, to be placed on Rittenhouse Square. This is from Mr. Henry C. Bayley. Three more fountains are almost finished, the loca-

Three more foundains are almost missing a feed-tively the gifts of Mr. Atherton Blight, Mr. Wana-maker, and Mr. Charles II. Muirhead.

A granite horse trough has been placed on Dela-ware avenue, near Race street, by the society, and five more are ordered. They will be distributed along Delaware avenue, which is a part of the city

where they are much needed.

Fault has been found with the plain appearance
of some of these fountains. Plain they certainly are,
but nevertheless useful. If the fault-finders will come forward and contribute a large sum of money, more elaborate structures can be erected. But there are some which can by no means be passed sneeringly. The one built recently on Ridge avenae, below Eleventh street, is certainly a very pretly affair. Several are ornamented with vases holding alents and downs. The one designated as No. 19 by plants and dowers. The one designated as No. 12 is to be of very superior construction. A German artist, lately engaged, who is very excellent at this sort of work, is preparing the fountain. It is to be of terra cotta, with statuary on the top, of life size, representing Hager in the Wilderness. The design

s said to be very beautiful. A very beautiful fountain has lately been erected in the Regent's Park, London, of which we give a description. It will serve to show what can be done as soon as some liberal gentleman steps forward with the necessary funds. Such an ornament could then be erected for our city. Until such time we then be erected for our city. Until such time we must be content with plainer and sless costly arrangements. It would not do to put all the funds of the society on one massive and imposing structure, when so many are needed. This fountain was built under the auspices of the London Metropolitan Fountain Association, for London also has such a society, and was the gift of a retired Indian merchant. The cost was £1400 or something like

The structure from base to summit stands 22 feet and is chiefly composed of Sicilian marble, intermixed with serpentine and with polished red Aberdeen granite. It is reached by three massive granite steps of sexagon form, the basement of the fountain being quadrangular, facing east, west, north, and south. There are four fountains failing from the centre of a lily flower into a large font-like looking basin, constructed of the polished red Aberdeen granite, resting upon pillars, and from each corner of the square tower springs a pediment, whilst the centre is of spiral form, beautifully sculptured, with appropriate designs representing water flowers of various descriptions, surmounted at the apex with a group representing the lotus. On the southern front, above the panel intended for the inscription, beautifully semigrated and propriate the control of the cont is a very beautifully sculptured head repre-senting the benevolent donor wearing his Parsee cap, the face being unmistakably Oriental. On the western front is the portrait of the Queen, the panel beneath being elaborately of the Queen, the panel beneath being elaborately chased with flowers bearing in the centre the royal monogram V. R. and the Imperial crown. On the opposite side, facing east, in a corresponding position to the portrait of her Majesty, is that her late Royal Consort, Prince Albert, the entablature underneath being filled in with a fine piece of sculpture representing the Indian lion in the midst of a jungle. The northern frontage is useful as well as opposite. The northern frontage is useful as well as ornamental, as in the centre of the tower there is an elegan wilt-faced clock. Beneath this, in the entablature gili-faced clock. Beneath this, in the entablature, corresponding to that of the African lion, there is a fine sculptured representation of the Brahmin buil, also in the midst of its native foliage. The whole work is original in its design, and the pediments at the angles are surmounted with representations of small palms and other flowers. The principal block of marble, forming a portion of the base of the fountain, weighs nearly four tons, and the entire weight of marble used in the construction of the fountain is ten tons, and granife about four tons, or fourteen tons altogether."

Our Philadelphia society has had great difficulty in Our Philadelphia society has had great difficulty in inding suitable situations for their fountains. They however acknowledge the kind and liberal spirit with which they have been treated by the public anthorities. They have the free use of water from the Water Department. They have to hope that the City Councils will treat them in the same spirit, in answering the petition which is now before them, which asks for the payment of the expense of making connections between the water-pipes and fountains. The water of the fountains will now soon be turned off for the winter, so that the cold weather may not

The water of the fountains will now soon be turned off for the winter, so that the cold weather may not freeze the water and burst the pipes. Before it is turned on again, could not some arrangement be made by which the water might be kept cooler during the heated months? The water during that season of the year is anything but palatable, but it is far better than nothing. The object of the society is stated to be the procuring of water for the laboring classes and the animals under their care. To a laboring man, a hod-carrier, for instance, after a hot hour's work, or to a hard-working horse, water of any kind is delicious; but to the pedestrian, who does not have to work quite so hard, a cooler drink is more palatable. Could not some arrangement of pipes laid deep in the ground be made by which this end could be attained? It would greatly increase the usefulness of the fountains, and would save many a comparatively poor man's money, which otherwise has to go for soda-water, lemonade, or something worse. There is no reason why the fountains should benefit the laboring classes alone, but probably even they might not be the less grateful for something cooler.

out probably even they might not be the less grateful for something cooler. But in whatever shape it comes, the object of the most nowle. Five dollars yearly is all that

is required of members to aid this good object. Persons wishing to become members can make application to any of the officers or to any member. For those who are able, here is a chance not only to join, but to become immortal. They can endow a fountain of their own. If they give much, a princely structure can be reared, bearing their name to all posterity; if but a smaller amount, yet is the fabric more enduring and much more noticed than graven stone or stained-glass window. If contributors of the class who love to do their good offices in secret, unknown of men, yet is there a way. We know of at least one such monument where the name plate attests only the modesty of the giver.

It is for the benefit of all such interested ones that the meeting to-morrow evening is to be held. The exercises will be of peculiar interest. A large audience is expected. Tickets can be procured gratuitously of the officers, but they should be secured early. The office of the society is at No. 1320 Chesnut street. The following is the order of exercises for the evening:—

1. Overture by Beck's Band.

for the evening:1. Overture by Beck's Band. Opening address by Mayor Fox.

Address by W. C. Swann, M. B., President, Music. Address by William Rudder, D. D.

Address by William D. Lewis, Esq.

Address by Hon. Henry M. Watts. 12. Reading of the Annual Report by the Secretary.

### STREET PAVEMENTS.

Description of the "Stow-Foundation." The pavement laid in Chesnut street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, in front of the Custom House and the Philadelphia and Farmers' and Mechanics' Banks, is called the "Stow-foundation pavement." New to us and to nearly all of our citizens, it is, in these days of improved pavements, a matter of interest to all and we therefore exists

a matter of interest to all, and we therefore give our readers a brief sketch of its history, mode of laying, and its apparent advantages.

Mr. Henry M. Stow, the inventor, has been a resi-dent of California for twenty years. With a talent for invention, he has given several valuable patents to the public.

At this time of his inventing this pavement he was poor, and endeavored, without success, to sell it to the Riccison company, in San Francisco, for a small sum. Subsequently finding a friend in a capitalist by the name of Mr. Williams, he commenced, in March, 1866, to lay his pavement, was enjoined by the Nicolson patent owners, and, after a year's hard fight, came out victorious, the Circuit Court of the United States, Judge Field, deciding the Stow foundation pavement to be no infringement upon After this decision, the Nicolson interest amalga-

mated with the Stow, and under the title of "The City Paving Company," offered to lay either, at the choice of the citizens. By reference to the files of The Alla Californian, of San Francisco, the records published of the action of the City Councils show that nineteen-twentieths of all the pavement laid that nineten-twentieths of all the pavement laid since in that city is the "Stow foundation pavement."

In the issue of that paper published 2d February, 1869, a card is published, signed by the Mayor, and endorsed by the Councid, Street Commissioners, Presidents of Gas and Water Works and of City Railroads, engineers and others, which says, among other things, the following:—"A sufficient length of time has, I think, elapsed to enable any person who has given the subject any attention to form an intelligent opinion as to the merits of the respective mattern pavements, and I have come to the conclutelligent opinion as to the merits of the respective modern pavements, and I have come to the conclusion that, in many respects, such as adaptability to our wants, and in duracility, the Stow is the superior pavement. But were the two pavements equal in every other respect, the facility with which the Stow can be taken up and relaid, whenever it becomes necessary to displace it for the purpose of laying down gas and water-pipes, should, in my judgment, entitle it to preference and public favor."

Unlike the Nicolson, it has no board foundation, no cleats, no nails, and does not dip its blocks in tar, and in all of which it claims superiority.

The Stow pavement is laid upon the sand or earth foundation; the blocks, same as Nicolson, three inches wide, six inches deep; between each block one-inch wedges are placed; these wedges are driven into the earth by a heavy paver's razumer as far as they will go; the interstices above the wedge are

they will go; the interstices above the wedge are filled with gravel; this gravel is then driven as far as it will go by the same power; the interstices are again filled with gravel and coal tar; coal tar is then poured over the surface, and gravel thrown on to make the surface water-tight, and it is finished. It is plain that it is easy to take it up and relay it

without much cost, and no waste or injury—no rails to break or boards to sever. The great mechanical to break of boards to sever. The great mechanical principle of the wedge forms a solid column of sand under each block, whilst the wedges below form a series of boxes, which prevent the flow of water underneath. The surface covering prevents water passing below, and any that may come in from below can easily escape, thus preserving the wood. This is claimed to be better than immersing the blocks in tar, which, inclosing sap, creates dry-rot; or, if water comes from above and is kept by a tarred board from running away, also creates rot, In behalf of the poor horses, which cannot speak for themselves, we wish to say one word. Let any one watch the car horses when they strike this pavement, and when they leave it, and they can see how they feel and how they would vote if they could. And let our citizens drive down to and over this pavement from curb to curb, and the then see that carriages can be used where tracks are laid without damage and with comfort if this or simi-

lar pavements are laid between the rails.

The pavement in Chesnut street presents a smooth, solid and handsome appearance. That it will stand, the owners seem confident, as they offer to keep it in order for twenty years, at a less price than cobble

A VISIT TO THE HAYMARKET .- For some months past the residents in the neighborhood of Sixth, Seventh, and Oxford streets, and Montgomery and Columbia avenues, have been complaining loudly over the nuisance they are obliged to endure in the shape of farmers' hay wagons and petty hucksters. On Tuesdays and Fridays these streets and avenues on Thesays and Frinays these streets and avenues are rendered almost impassable by the number of these vehicles that are lined along, and the scattered bunches of timothy and clover prove as much a torment to the mind of the tidy housekeeper as world as more dist.

yould so much dirt.

Much of this marketing of hay on the streets is occasioned through the close-fistedness of many of the farmers, who will not enter the regular market on account of being compelled to pay the weighingtoli of thirty-five cents.

Another great objection raised against these par-ties is, that they entirely block up the passage of the streets for blocks. The ordinance which rethe streets for blocks. The ordinance which requires vehicles to preserve a dividing distance of fitteen feet is of no more account to them than so much waste paper, whilst the street-crossings are monopolized with the same freedom as any other portion of the thoroughfare. Pedestrians are often compelled to travel squares out of their road, sooner than run the gauntlet between the rear poles of the leading wagon and the masticators of the animals attached to the one in the rear.

In order to judge for himself as to the nuisance, Mayor Fox this morning paid a visit to the locality

Mayor Fox this morning paid a visit to the locality named, and after a thorough investigation, con-cinded that a stop should be put to it at once. In a few days orders will be issued to this effect, and it understood that they will be rigidly enforced.

LOCAL ODDS AND ENDS .- A meeting of the journeymen gilders, for the purpose of forming a pro-pective union, was held last night. Samuel N. Carels was chosen temporary chairman, and William Bersh Secretary. On motion a role of membership was prepared and received signatures representing seven shops.

The monthly meeting of the Board of Trade was "Lighthouse Dues" and the "National Postal Tele-graph System" were considered. No definite action was arrived at in either case.

—A night school was opened last evening in the Moyamensing Institute, Eleventh and Catherine streets. The room contains ample accommodations

streets. The room contains ample accommodations for eighty pupils.

—Our militia complain over the order calling them out at 130 P. M. Thanksgiving Day. They say they will not have time to finish their dinners.

—Efforts are being made to raise sufficient funds to provide for the completion of the eastern wing of the Protestant Episcopal Hospital.

—James I., Claghorn, Esq., has been elected Treasurer of the Board of Trustees of the Northern Home for Friendless Children.

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—A mass meeting of the ingrain carpet weavers of the city was held last evening at the hall, Front

and Master streets.

The Little Wanderers are to have turkey, with

sauce, on Thursday.
—Spiritualistic circles are on the increase.
—Our fire-plugs need looking after.

IMPORTANT DECISION .- The Hon, C. Delano, Commissioner of Internal Revenue, has decided that all prepared mustard sold must be stamped hefore being removed from the place of manufacture, **b**respective of the kind of package or inclosure used for putting up the same. Manufacturers making prepared mustard may make sale of their goods in bulk until the first of January, 1870, without affixing stamps, provided they make a full and accurate return every month on or before the tenth day of the following month, and upon such returns the Assessor will month; and upon such returns the Assessor will assess the amount of the tax which has been omitted to be paid by stamps, and certify the same to his Collector, as provided in the fifth section of the act of March 2, 1869,

Assessors are anthorized and instructed to assess this tax in the mode herein described of any and all manufacturers of prepared mustard in their district who prefer to make such returns instead of stamping their packages, when they pack in bulk.

The New Warehouse of J. H. Michener & Co., the famed dealers in harm, removed into their new establishment, on Arch street, between Front and Second. It has a front of thirty-three feet, and a feeth of ninety-one feet six inches, and is four stories above ground. In addition to this, there is a cellar and sub-cellar, making, in reality, six stories. The cellars are particularly adapted to the storage of provisions, of which the firm, in the natural on hand, from the perfect system of ventilation course of their trade, frequently have a very large stock secured in them. The basement cellar floor is canked and finished in all respects equal to the perfishable goods so often filed into the sub-cellar. The curbing about the building is of dressed granite, and the pavement is made of huge blocks of North river flag, beneath which there is a vanit fitted up for use as an ice house, when necessity shall demand it. The building is composed, the first story of iron, and those above it of handsome present ing them brick. The waits are surmounted with heavy iron cornices. The couring-rooms contain all the converse of the provision of the sub-cellar floor is converted to his house at No. 184 N. Teath street. The evening of that day, two men representing them brick. The waits are surmounted with heavy iron cornices. The couring-rooms contain all the converted to his house at No. 184 N. Teath street. The evening of that day, two men representing them brick. The waits are surmounted with heavy iron cornices. The couring-rooms contain all the converted to his provise and the provise of the pr brick. The walls are surmounted with heavy fron cornices. The counting-rooms contain all the conveniences requisite for such apartments. The whole veniences requisite for such apartments. The whole structure is substantially built, nothing but the finest material entering into its composition

REAL ESTATE, STOCKS, ETC .- The following real estate, stocks, etc., were sold at noon to-day, at the Philadelphia Exchange, by M. Thomas & Sons: at the Philadelphia Exchange, by M. Thomasa.

160 shares Empire Transportation Company.

1 share Arch Street Theatre, with Ticket.

11 shares Southwark National Bank.

12 shares Bank of North America.

13 shares Northern Liberties Gas Company.

7 shares Franklin Fire Insurance Company.

8 shares Reliance Insurance Company.

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8 shares Western National Bank.

1 share Mercantile Library.

LOCUST, No. 1115—Livery Stable.

RODMAN, No. 1150—Brick Dwelling.

RICHMOND, N. E. of Omario—Lot.

RIDGE AVENUE, above Girard avenue—Store and Dwelling. and Dwelling FIFTEENTH (North), No. 1302 Brick Dwelling

ESTABLISHED BUSINESS STAND FOR SALE,-The old established fancy dry goods business and store of George Fryer, No. 916 Chesnut street, is advertised for private sale. To any responsible party wishing to embark in the business, this is a fine opportunity. The terms are liberal. The property, 25 by 235 feet, can be either bought or rented. The stock is all first-class, and will be sold at its real valuation.

PREPARING FOR WINTER,-Xavier Cromer, about 6 or clock last evening, entered the boot and shoe store of Edw. Rhoads, at Dauphin and Amber streets, professedly to buy a pair of boots, but while Mr. Rhoads' back was turned he pocketed a pair of shoes. The theft was discovered before he could make his escape, and Alderman Haines held him in \$400 ball to answer.

A ROLL OF CLOTH, -About 5:30 last P. M. an known individual picked up a roll of cloth from the front of the store of a Mrs. Miller, Frankford road, below Otter street, and made off with it. At Front and Brown streets he was approached by a police-man, when, dropping the cloth, he disappeared in

A NEGRO TRIEF .- Mary Demby is the proprietress of a sidewalk restaurant in the neighborhood of Seventh and Lombard streets. Yesterday a white gal borrowed a shawl from Mary, and a "moke" named James Marshall forcibly borrowed the shawl from the white gal. Alderman Kerr will attend to his case to-day.

SHOE THIEF.-Edw. Lawson yesterday entered the boot and shoe store of one Edw. Crawford, at Twenty-third and Market streets, and took there-from two pairs of shoes valued at \$5. An office-took Lawson before Alderman Jones, who held him n \$500 bail to answer.

ELECTION OF A PASTOR,—Rev. Isaac S, Harley, of the Sixth Avenue Reformed Church, New York, was elected pastor of the Second Reformed Church of this city last evening. He will enter upon his pasto-ral labors about the first of January. NEW APPOINTMENT .- Officer Ferdinand J. Griffith

has been promoted to the Sergeantcy of the Six-teenth district, vice Thomas Smith, resigned. Mr. Griffith is a young man, a Pennsylvanian by birth, and a capable and efficient officer. MEETING OF THE PRESS CLUB,-A stated meeting

of the Press Club will be held to-morrow afternoon, and the subject of discussion will be "The Inde-pence of the Press." Messrs, J. L. Ringwalt and Stephen F. Winslow will argue pro and con. CARELESSNESS.—The police of the Eighth district report finding the doors of nine dwellings open during last night.

### LEGAL INTELLIGENCE.

Court of Oyer and Terminer - Judges Petrce and Paxson. THE DOLAN HOMICIDE,

The trial of the young man Robert Collins, for the murder of the boy Dennis Dolan, on the 5th of July last, was resumed. The testimony thus far adduced was that of some of the boys who were with Doian on the night he was shot, and was to the following

About 9% o'clock Bernard Blee and Eddie Loaly were playing on the corner of Seventeenth and Pine streets, when the prisoner, in company with two women, passed them, looking hard at Blee. The latter, in a boyish manner, asked him what he was looking at, and he turned back and kicked him on the leg, and then walked into Ambrust's ice cream saloon. Next he was seen at Sixteenth and Pine streets, on the northwest corner, talking with some little boys, and was heard to say to Jimmie Hancock, one of them, that if he were larger he would mash his mouth, and then he started over to the southeast corner, where some women and men were standing; Hancock followed nim to the car track, and, rolling up his sleeves, said to him, "I don't know whether you would or not;" Collins stood upon the sidewalk, muttering some-thing to himself, and then drew a pistol and fired; the first shot seemed to go the ground, but a second shot was fired, and immediately afterwards Dolan cried out that he was shot; he was taken to a drug store, and then to the Children's Hospital, where, on the night of the 6th of July, he died from a pistol wound in the left side, the ball entering just above the hip bone. the hip bone.

The cross-examinations brought out the facts that a cry of "Long," made at Sixteenth and Pine streets, brought a number of boys to that spot from Seven-teenth street; that Collins was asking the boys why they kept following him, and threatening to hurt them if they did not desist, and that Haucock, who was larger than his companions, went after him in a fighting attitude.

nighting attitude.

James Hancock, a tall boy, nearly seventeen years old, testified—I was in Ambrust's fee cream saloon with Robert Mitchell between nine and ten o'clock this night; after I came out I saw a man and two girls going in; the man wore a white cloth high hat; I heard an alarm of fire and stood on the other side of the street about fifteen minutes; I went down to Sixteenth and Pine; I saw this man and the two vomen come walking down to the corner of Sixteenth street; standing in front of a plumber's shop a little below Ambrust's, he snapped plumber's shop a little below Ambrust's, he snapped his pistol and laughed, and then a crowd of eight or nine, or maybe more, gathered around; I saw no stones thrown at the time the pistol was snapped or before: I then went down to the northwest corner of Sixteenth street; before going down there, how-ever, I heard some one halloo "Old Hat" at the man; this man came across the street, and asked me is was following him, and I said I was not; he said is was a little bigger he would mash my mouth, and I told him I didn't think he would; I didn't hear anything else said, and he went back to the southeast corner; I went out into the street to the southeast corner; I went out into the street near the track and then came back; he next drew a pistol and snapped it, pointing towards the ground; then he lifted it up again and walked down the street a piece, and I saw no more of him; after he raised the pistol again I heard a report; the man was standing alone on the southeast corner, and two girls were on the southeast; the boys were around Collins, and the girls making a noise and crowding them; when Collins and the two ladies went into the ice cream saloon the boys followed to the door; Bernard Blee was kicked because he wouldn't get out of Collins' way when he cause he wouldn't get out of Collins' way when he was crossing the gutter; the crowd following him were hallooing at him; there was quite a number of them—maybe twenty or more; I had no weapon that night, and don't know that any one of the boys carried a weapon; I didn't see any stones thrown, but heard some of the boys say they had stoned the man; I don't belong to that cinb of boys about there; there is a club house where the boys frequent in Pine street, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth; the city lamp was on the corner; I was at it, and the man talking to me was standing in front of it about two feet from me, but I could not see his face; I don't know that the prisoner is that man.

Robert Mitchell sworn-I am seventeen years old; remember the night Dolan was shot; I was with This witness knew nothing.

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### FROM WASHINGTON.

Minister Motley and the Alabama Claims. Special Despatch to The Evening Telegraph.

Washinston, Nov. 16.—It is assertained upon good anthority that since Minister Motley's advent in England, no effort has been made to renew negotiations for the settlement of the Alabama claims. In his forthcoming message the President will advert to this fact, and make some important suggestions in connection therewith. The fault is not that of Minister Motley, for he was instructed to reopen the subject only as opportunity should offer, but the English Government has clearly avoided the question, and does not seem disposed to reopen it. Reverdy Johnson is preparing a pamphiet giving the secret history of the negotiation of the treaty signed by himself and Lord Clarendon, and which was rejected by the Senate. In this he will show that he acted all through under express instructions from the State Department, and that several important suggestions which he made, and which in his view would have secured such a treaty as would have been acceptable to this country, were disregarded. Mr. Johnson will not publish his statement until after the appearance of the President's message.

### FROM NEW YORK.

The Gold Exchange Bank,

Despatch to The Evening Telegraph, NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—It is thought that the directors of the Gold Exchange Bank will refuse to accept the terms offered by the Gold Board. The new Sub-Treasurer, Charles J. Folger, took the oath and gave bonds yesterday, and is now at the Sub-Treasury. The absence of General Butterfield will prevent his installation until to-morrow.

Destructive Fire in Orange County. New York, Nov. 16.—A fire at Milo, Orange county, yesterday, destroyed the blanket factory of Fox, Roberts & Co. Loss, \$20,000. No insurance, The Money Market.

Money is easy at 6@7 on call and 5@6 on the street Gold opened at 127, rose to 1271, and again fell of There was an attempt at a heavy bear move

The Stock Market. In stocks there are indications of a rise, in sympathy with the Vanderbilis, which have advanced considerably, owing to a pressure to bay. Centra reached 182%, and others advanced in proportion.

New York Produce Market. New York, Nov. 16.—Cotton firmer; sales of 606 bales at 25½, @95½c. Flour heavy and declined 5@ 10c.; sales of 9500 (barrels State at \$5@7.00; West-10c.; sales of 19000 harrers State at \$500 100; Western at \$500 100; and Southern at \$6.500 1000. Wheat dull and declined 100c.; sales of 34,000 bushels No. 2 at \$1.26; winter red at \$1.3700 140. Corn steady; sales of 41,000 bushels mixed Western at \$1.070 1.09. Oats dull; sales of 24,000 bushels at 63005c. Provisions quiet but steady. Whisky firm; free, \$1.100

### FROM THE SOUTH.

Selection of Directors. BALTIMORE, Nov. 16.—At the annual meeting yes-terday of the stockholders of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, the following gentlemen were re-elected directors, to serve the ensuing twelve months:

John Hopkins, Samuel W. Smith, Francis Burns,
John Spear Nicholas, John Gregg, C. Oliver, O. Donnell, James Harvey, Galloway Cheston, William W.
Taylor, Samuel Kirby, Allen A. Chapman, and Albert Schumacher.

Baltimore Produce Market. Baltimore Produce Market.

Baltimore, Nov. 16.—Cotton firm and in fair demand; low middlings, 246:2416. Flour dull and weak; Howard Street superine, \$56:5:3716; do extra, \$5:506:625; do. family, \$6:506:75; do. family, \$76:925; Western superine, \$56:5:25; do. extra, \$5:506:6; do. family, \$6:506. Wheat steady; prime to choice red, \$1:3561:37. Corn firm; prime white, new, 906:95c.; old do., \$16:105. Oats dull at 536:57c. Hye dull at 946:97c. Provisions unchanged in every respect.

### FROM NEW ENGLAND.

Planing Mill Burned.

LEWISTON, Me., Nov. 16 .- The large steam ming mill of Prince & Dinsmore, near the Maine Central Railroad station, was burned this morning. Loss about \$7000. Insured for

The flames extended to a dwelling occupied by several families, which was also consumed.

### FROM THE DOMINION.

Snicide. COBURG, Ontario, Nov. 16.—About one o'clock yesterday afternoon Henry Easton, Collector of Customs for Coburg, during a temporary fit of insanity, shot himself with a rifle. The ball passed through his head, causing instant death.

Father McMahon's Statement. Father McMahon's denunciation of the treatment he alieges that he received while a prisoner here has excited much indignation. His statements are declared to be untrue, and general regret is expresse

The Newfoundland Election. Halifax, Nov. 16.—The returns of the Newfound-land election, although incomplete, indicate that the anti-Confederates have secured a majority.

Stock Quotations by Telegraph-2 P. M. Glendinning, Davis & Co. report through their New York house the following:

N. Y. Cent. R. 1834
N. Y. & Erie Rail 274 Toledo & Wab. R. R. 594
Ph. and Rea. R. 974 Mil. & St. Paul R com 69
Mich. S. R. 884 Mil. & St. Paul pref. 83
Clev. and Plits. R. 81
Chi. and N. W. com 71
Chi. and N. W. pref. 834
Chi. and R. I. R. 1084
Pitts. F. W. & Chi. R. 854
Pacific Mall Steam. 555
Market firm.

PHILADELPHIA STOCK EXCHANGE SALES. Reported by De Haven & Bro., No. 40 S. Third street \$4000 Le gold 1, ..ls. 96 | 7 sh E Penna R. . 53% 100 sh Read, \$10wn, \$8% 60 do ....ls. 53% 3 days. 37 WEDDING INVITATIONS MANNER.

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The Wife Murderer Healy Committed for Trial-Alabama Ratifies the Fifteenth Amendment by a Unanimous Vote-Judge Allison and the Circuit Judgeship.

> FROM EUROPE. FRANCE.

The Emperor and the Prusslan Ambassador. By Anglo-American Cable,

By Anglo-American Cable.

Paris, Nov. 16.—The Emperor gave an audience to Baron Werther, the newly-appointed Ambassador from Prussia, at Compeigne yesterday. Much good feeling was manifested. M. Werther, in presenting his credentials, assured the Emperor that the Prussian Government desired to preserve the present amicable relations with France. Napoleon replied warmly and at considerable length, cencluding by saying that he much wished the development of a good understanding between Prussia and the Gergood understanding between Prussia and the Ger man Confederation on the one side and France or

### ENGLAND.

Mr. Penbedy's Remains. LONDON, Nov. 16.—According to a new arrangement, the Government will despatch II. M. S. Monarch from Portsmouth on Friday, the 20th instant, with the remains of the late George Peabody. The Monarch will remain at Spithead for a few days. until she is joined by the American vessels from the Mediterranean squadron, when they will sail for America in company. It more than likely that seve-ral French war ships will also join the funeral steet.

The Latest Quotations. FRANKFORT, Nov. 16 .- United States 5-20s opened Paris, Nov. 16.—The Bourse closed firm; Rentes.

HAVRE, Nov. 16.—Cotton opened quiet, both on the spot and affoat. ANTWERP, Nov. 16.—Petroleum opened firm but quiet at 61 47.
LONDON, Nov. 16-4 30 P. M.—Consols for money

LONDON, NOV. 16—4-30 P. M.—CORSOIS for money and account, 93½; 5-298 of 1862, 83½; of 1865, 82; of 1865, 82; of 1865, 82; of 1865, 82; of 1865, 83½; 10-408, 77½. Radiways steady; Eric. 20; Hilnois Central, 98½.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 16—4-30 P. M.—Cotton steady; midding uplands, 11½d.; midding Orleans, 11½d.; sales to-day 12,000 bales, including 2000 for export and speculation. Breadstuffs dull and unchanged. London, Nov. 16—4-30 P. M.—Sugar to arrive, dull. BREMEN, Nov. 16-Petroleum opened quiet.

### HAMBERG, Nov. 16 .- Petroleum opened quiet,

FROM WASHINGTON. General Sickles and the Administration.

pecial Despatch to The Evening Telegraph. WASHINGTON, Nov. 16,-The President's attention having been called to a despatch sent hence yester-day to the effect that he was pressed to remove Minister Sickles by members of Congress, said that he had not seen a single member or Senator who found any fault with the course pursued by Sickles, or who intimated a desire for his removal. So far as the State Department 1 a concerned, everything that has been done by Sick 05 at Madrid was done by its direction, and is of course indorsed. In connection with the subject it may be stated that the President, in his message, will make some important revelations respecting the condition of affairs in Spain and Cuba

The Forthcoming Census Report. Washington, Nov. 16.—The Census Committee meet here to morrow for the purpose of agreeing upon the report to be submitted to the House at the opening of the session. General Garfield, acting chairman of the Committee, has prepared a bill providing for taking the census, which will accompany the report.

Judge Kelley. Judge Kelley arrived last evening and left again to-day at noon. He came on private business. Judge Allison and the Circuit Judgship. Several prominent Pennsylvanians have been here recently pressing Judge Allison, of your city, for the appointment of United States Circuit Judge for

the district composed of Pennsylvania and Jersey. It is is understood that both the Atto General and President regard his claims to the place favorably. Naval Orders.

Despatch to the Associated Press. Washington, Nov. 18 .- Lieutenant Commander Henry C. Tallman is detached from the Yantic. The following are also detached from the Yantic, and placed on waiting orders:—Lieutenants Francis Barker and Wallace Graham, Ensign Francis A. Delano, Acting Assistant Surgeon John D. Smith. First Assistant Engineer John D. Emmons, and Second Assistant Jefferson Brown.

Passed Assistant Surgeon David Mack has resigned. First Assistant Engineer D. P. McCatney and Second Assistants P. J. Langer and M. N.

Knowlton are ordered to the Frolic General Spinner's Health, General Spinner is better to-day.

# FROM NEW ENGLAND.

Consecrating of a Chapel. Despatch to The Evening Telegraph.

Boston, Nov. 16.—St. John's Memorial Chapet, in old Cambridge, was consecrated this A. M., Dishop Eastburn delivering the sermon. Among the clergymen present from abroad was Bishop Potter of New Haley, the Wife Murderer, Committed. Haley, the wife murderer, was fully committed this morning. Jealousy was the cause of the act. The murderer sold groceries after committing the

## FROM THE PLAINS.

The Winnebago War-Governor McDougail. Chicago, Nov. 16.—The latest intelligence from the Winnebago war says that Governor McDougall is now encamped in Dacotah Territory. His family is now encamped in Dacotan Territory. His family will return to Canada, but the Governor and his staff will await events at Fort Gary, where a party in his favor is said to exist, consisting of the late liudson bay Company officials and some Scotch and English settlers. Meanwhile, the insurgents have a Provisional Government, and demand a Territorial Government after the American fashion, with a Legisland. ernment after the American fashion, with a Legisla ture chosen by the people, the homestead act, and a fund for schools and internal improvements. There is a rumor that Governor McDougail will apply to the Canadian Government for troops, and to the Washington authorities for permission to pass through the Northwestern States.

### FROM THE SOUTH

Alabana Ratifies the Fifteenth Amendment. MONTGOMERY, Nov. 16.—The Alabama Legislature has ratified the diffeenth amendment. In the Senate the yeas were 24; nays, 6. In the House, yeas, 69 nays, 16.

CENTRAL STATION HEARINGS, Before Alderman CENTRAL STATION HEARINGS.—Before Alderman Kerr, this afternoon, at the Central Station, George Johnson (colored) was arraigned on the charge of the theft of some chickens and ducks, George was arrested last Sunday in a passenger car with the poultry in his possession, together with a loaded pistol. The accused was held in \$600 bail to answer.—David Marshall (colored) was charged with the theft of a shawl from Ida Williams (white), on Sunday night last, at Seventh and Lombard streets, and pawning it for \$1.50. The accused was committed to answer.

answer.

—Two juveniles, named respectively James Kelley and Michael McCloskey, were charged by Anna Roan (colored), residing in Duponceau street, with disorderly conduct, stoning her house, etc. The prisoners were held in \$500 ball each to keep the

Prisoners were need in \$5000 ball cace to keep the peace.

—Rose McDermott, for the theft of a dress valued at \$2, from the residence of William McCuen, West street, aboye Coates, this morning, was committed in default of \$500 ball to answer.

—Charles Hill, colored, accused of being concerned in the robbery of Moore's stationery store, Eighth street, helow Sansom, some two weeks since, was committed in default of \$5000 for a further hearing on the 22d instant.

ing on the 22d instant.

—Daniel Griggetts, colored, for the theft of a lot of lead pipe and a table easter from the residence of Mrs. Huguenele, No. 1417 Walnut street, was committed to answer.

New York, Nov. 16.—Lately a Mr. Davigne, a Frenchman, imported a large quantity of laces and other goods, and paid the duty on them at the Custom House in Boston. On Friday last he brought the goods from that place to this city, and had them removed to his house at No. 134 N. Tenth street. The evening of that day two man representing them. removed to his house at No. 134 N. Tenth street. The evening of that day, two men representing themselves as Custom officers appeared at his house and seized \$6000 worth of laces on the ground that they had been smuggled, and carried them to the St. Charles Hotel; they then, in the presence of Mr. Davigne, produced a man whom they represented to be Moses H. Grinnell, Collector of this Port. Davinge, however, would not pay an amount, as blackmail, demanded by them, and today caused their arrest. They proved to be one a clerk in the Naval Office and the other a broker named Fred. Kuhner, who is noted as having an artist's model for Hercules and mythological subjects.

NASHUA, N. Y., Nov. 16.—An attempt was made to rob the depot and other buildings in Wilton last night by a desperate gang of burglars. The store of D. Gregg & Co., in the depot building, was visited, and the safe door blown off, but the men became alarmed, taking only \$1500 with them.

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The following statement of the affairs of the Company

-81,105,701:28 Premiums on Policies not marked on November I, 1885. 460,634'09

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ASSETS OF THE COMPANY Seco.000 United States Five Per Cert. Loan; 100,000 United States Six Per Cent. Loan (awini money). 50,000 United States Six Per Cent. Loan, 1981. 200,000 State of Penraylvania Six Per Cent. 200,000 City of Philadelphia Six Per Cent. Loan (exempt from tax). 100,000 State of New Jersey Six Per Cent.

Market value, \$1,255,270 00 Cost, \$1,215,622 27. \$1,231,500 Par. Real Estate.
Bills Receivable for Insurances Balances due at Agencies Pre-minus on Marine Policies, Ac-crued Interest and other debts due to the Company. Stock, Scrip, etc., of sunary Cor-porations, \$436. Estimated value. 333,700\*75 65,097 95

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PRILADELPHIA, November 10, 1868.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a CASH DIVIDEND of TEN PER CENT, on the CAPITAL, STOCK, and SIX PER CENT, interest on the SCRIP of the Company, payable on and after the 1st of December proximo, free of National and State taxes.

They have also declared a SCRIP DIVIDEND of THIRTY-FIVE PER CENT, on the EARNED PREMIUMS for the year ending October 31, 1869, certificates of which will be issued to the parties entitled to the same, on and after the lat of December proximo, free of National and State taxes. on and after the lat of December proximo, free of National and State taxes.

They have ordered, also, that the Scrip Certificates of Profits of the Company, for the year ending October 31, 1865, be redeemed in Cash, at the office of the Company, on and after 1st of December proximo, all interest thereon to cease on that day. By a provision of the Charter all Certificates of Scrip not presented for redemption within itve years after public notice that they will be redeemed, shall be forfeited and cancelled on the books of the Company.

pany.

No certificate of profits issued under \$25. By the act of incorporation, "no certificate shall issue unless claimed within two years after the declaration of the dividend whereof it is evidence."

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